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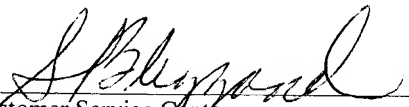
FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 820.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
WINTER, John D.

Serial No.: 09/626,538

Filed: 07/27/2000

For: PLASTICS LIQUEFACTION MELT TANK
AGITATOR COUPLED WITH SOLIDS
REMOVAL

Group Art Unit:

Examiner:

Atty. Dkt. No.: TXGP:037---
(82,199)

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS
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Washington, D.C. 20231

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37 C.F.R. 1.8

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9-27-00
Date

Barbi S. Glick
Signature

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d),
dated September 19, 2000, the following are enclosed:

- ☒ Part 2 of FORM PTO-1533 Notice to File Missing Parts of Application;
- ☐ Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by the inventors, Paul S. WALLACE,
Kay Anderson JOHNSON and Janice L. Kasbaum;
- ☐ The Assistant Commissioner is authorized to deduct the following fees from
Account No. 01-2508/TXGP:037---. The amount of \$820.00 is due for the
following fees:
 - ☐ surcharge for late filing (\$130.00);
 - ☐ the recordation fee for the enclosed Assignment (\$);
 - ☐ the filing fee calculated as shown below:

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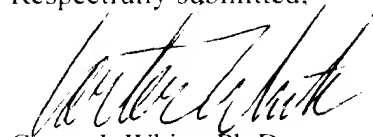
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			Other than Small Entity	
Total Claims	- 20	=	x \$ 18.00	= \$
Independent Claims	- 3	=	x \$ 78.00	= \$
First Multiply Dependent Claim Presented			+ \$ 260.00	= \$
Basic Fee			+ \$ 690.00	= \$ 690.00
TOTAL FILING FEE = \$ 690.00				

Applicants hereby request for any extension of time that may be deemed necessary to further the prosecution of this application. Applicants' representative hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-2508, referencing Order No. TXGP:037---

In order to facilitate the resolution of any issues or questions presented by this paper, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner directly contact the undersigned by phone to further the discussion.

Respectfully submitted,



Carter J. White, Ph.D.

Patent Agent

Reg. No. 41,374

Date: 27 Sep 00